IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

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Appln. No.: 10/590,897

Filed: August 28, 2006

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Washington, D.C.

December 18, 2008

PETITION TO REVIVE PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building, Mail Stop Petition 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby petition for revival of the above-identified application in accordance with the terms of 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to respond to Notification of Defective Response of May 20, 2008. A petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(b) was filed on June 20, 2008. No decision was ever issued on this petition. Nevertheless, even if the petition is granted, the present application will have become abandoned after July 21, 2008 (July 20, 2008, having been a Sunday).

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Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b), a petition to revive an unintentionally abandoned application must be accompanied by (1) a statement that the delay was unintentional, (2) a proposed response unless it has been previously filed, and (3) a fee in the amount of \$1,620.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m).

- (1) Applicant, through undersigned counsel, hereby states that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date of the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) was unintentional.
- (2) Filed herewith is a response to the Notification of Defective Response, to continue prosecution of the present application.
- (3) The petition fee of \$1,620.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m), is attached hereto.

Granting of this petition and forwarding of the application to the examiner for further action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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